

The Standard.

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ARTESIAN WELLS IN MILLARD.

The Standard acknowledges an invitation from the citizens of eastern Millard county to be with them in celebration of "Well Days," at Fillmore, June 1, 2 and 3, 1916. The event celebrates the striking of artesian wells along the vast Pahvant valley, portending a great economic evolution for eastern Millard county.

A number of gushers have been struck and a great area of that part of Millard county around Fillmore, the early capital of Utah, will be reclaimed.

WHAT AMERICA SHOULD TELL CARRANZA.

There is a possibility that the raid on Columbus and then on the Big Bend country was engineered by conspirators on this side of the border. There is a very strong element, with large interests in Mexico, laboring to bring about intervention in the hope that the United States eventually will permanently possess northern Mexico.

Vigorous efforts should be made by our government to uncover the intrigues and expose them to public scorn. Men of that type are traitors, because they are untrue to their allegiance.

However in the meantime the raiders should be pursued across the border and as far in to Mexico as is necessary to effect their capture. If the Mexican government objects then President Wilson should tell Carranza that American troops will proceed south until they meet with a body of Carranza soldiers capable of turning back the raiders. That would compel the Mexicans to display efficiency or allow the Americans to do the work of riding the border zone of bandits.

CASE OF RABIES IN OGDEN.

Rabies, that terrible affliction caused by the bite of a infected animal, has found a victim in Ogden. After reading of the spread from Oregon

through Nevada and California, at last the much dreaded disease has knocked at our own doors.

When the first news of the mad coyotes in northern Nevada was received here, there was more than one doubting Thomas to question the reports. Lately word has been received from Lucin and other points in Boxelder county, telling of attacks made by rabid coyotes, and today an Ogden physician has a patient who was bitten by one of these wild scavengers of the desert.

One of our foremost doctors called up the Standard this morning to start a campaign for the muzzling of all dogs allowed on the streets of the city. He said he had labored in that direction but had failed to make an impression on the authorities to the extent of having an imperative order issued.

This case of rabies should be sufficient warning to cause every dog in the city, which is not chained or kept within a kennel, to be muzzled. In parts of Nevada and California, dogs are being shot when caught without muzzles, and this community, to avoid the danger of a spread of rabies must resort to the same drastic preventive measures.

GOOD ROADS DAY IN UTAH.

On May 24, the people of Utah are to give thought to the building of roads, the Governor having issued a proclamation designating that date "Good Roads" day.

Why the event should be duly observed is thus explained by the Governor: "As a means of promoting interest in the good roads movement and as a method of accomplishing practical results in highway improvement, the observance of 'Good Roads' day has proved most effective."

"Now, therefore, I, William Spry, governor of the state of Utah, do hereby designate Wednesday, May 24, 1916, 'Good Roads' day, and earnestly recommend that the people of this state avail themselves of this opportunity for co-operative endeavor in this great movement for state development. Let the observance of the day be practical to the fullest extent possible, to the end that the energies of the people may be directed at points where the greatest good may result to the greatest number."

Bank Statements

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

RESOURCES.		
Loans and discounts (except those shown on b).....	\$1,922,877.18	
U. S. bonds.....	150,000.00	
U. S. bonds pledged to secure U. S. deposits (par value).....	75,000.00	
U. S. bonds pledged to secure postal savings deposits (par value).....	25,000.00	
Total U. S. bonds.....	250,000.00	
Bonds, securities, etc.....		
Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned and unpledged.....	199,296.88	
Total bonds, securities, etc.....	199,296.88	
Stocks, other than Federal Reserve Bank stock.....	9,000.00	
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve Bank.....		
Less amount unpaid.....	7,500.00	7,500.00
Value of banking house (if unencumbered).....	100,000.00	
Equity in banking house.....	100,000.00	
Real estate owned other than banking house.....	44,844.99	
Net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank.....	75,000.00	
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago, and St. Louis.....	806,064.27	
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities.....	867,079.46	1,173,143.83
Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than included in 10 or 11).....		294,057.63
Exchanges for clearing house.....	35,920.65	32,493.39
Outside checks and other cash items.....	1,277.30	37,197.95
Fractional currency, nickels, and cents.....		24,860.00
Notes of other national banks.....		420.00
Federal Reserve notes.....		175,372.10
Coin and certificates.....		240.00
Legal-tender notes.....		7,500.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer.....		
TOTAL.....		\$4,353,803.95

LIABILITIES.		
Capital stock paid in.....		\$150,000.00
Surplus fund.....		100,000.00
Undivided profits.....	78,599.83	9,897.43
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid.....	7,359.84	71,239.99
Circulating notes outstanding.....		149,997.60
Net amount due to banks and bankers (other than included in 29 or 30).....		1,021,440.02
Dividends unpaid.....		100.00
Demand deposits.....		2,292,835.60
Individual deposits subject to check.....		103,679.38
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days.....		9,897.43
Cashier's checks outstanding.....		45,021.58
United States deposits.....		69,747.51
Postal savings deposits.....		8,081.27
Total demand deposits.....	2,529,313.17	
Time deposits.....		331,713.27
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Certificates of deposit.....		331,713.27
TOTAL.....		\$4,353,803.95

State of Utah, County of Weber—ss.
I, James F. Burton, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JAMES F. BURTON, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:
JOHN WATSON,
W. F. BURTON,
JOSEPH SCOWCROFT,
Directors.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of May, 1916.
S. T. JEPPESEN, Notary Public.
My commission expires September 21, 1918.

sible, to the end that the energies of the people may be directed at points where the greatest good may result to the greatest number."

OIL TO BE FOUND IN THIS REGION.

Geologists maintain that Salt Lake valley, as a part of what is known as the "Laramie pool," should produce oil and gas in commercial quantity.

Twenty years ago, a natural gas flow was discovered north of Salt Lake and piped to that city, but the supply soon diminished and proved to be of no commercial value.

Out in Great Salt Lake, to the north and west of Promontory Point, seepages occur, which send large quantities of asphalt to the surface and wells have been bored in an effort to open up a body of the material, but success has not attended the drillings.

Lately a company has been formed to prospect for oil and gas in this region, and following the instructions of experts, rigs are to be set up capable of going to a depth of over 3000 feet.

The asphalt found west of Ogden is the very best indication of oil pools in this basin and the company which succeeds in tapping the source will be richly rewarded.

With oil added to the wealth of this valley, there would be no part of the earth's surface richer in natural resources.

WINNING RICHES IN A DESERT.

A writer in a bulletin of the Pan-American Union presents a most interesting review of the "southernmost city in the world," and incidentally discloses how fortunes are being made in what were once considered desert wastes and unwelcoming regions.

Every school child old enough to study geography knows where the Straits of Magellan are to be found on the map and can locate Punta Arenas, but few youngsters, or even their fathers, can give a brief history of that part of the world or describe the resources on which Punta Arenas has grown from a penal colony to a city of 13,000 prosperous inhabitants.

In 1843 the republic of Chile established a penal colony at Punta Arenas, which, about eight years later, was completely burned down by the prisoners, who mutilated and killed the governor, guards, and many foreigners. This rebellion was quelled a few months later, and the town rebuilt on its present site and given the name of Punta Arenas. Sheep raising is the foundation upon which the city's growth and prosperity de-

pends to a great extent, and in this connection the writer states:

"The cold climate of Tierra del Fuego and the strait region generally is peculiarly adapted to sheep raising. In order to protect them from the rigors of the low temperatures nature provides the sheep with unusually thick and heavy coats of wool, the quality of which is such that it commands good prices in the markets of Europe. Its special qualities are that it washes very white and will take the most delicate dyes exceptionally well. Thus Punta Arenas has become one of the great wool-exporting ports of the world, something over 20,000,000 pounds being shipped from there annually. It is estimated that there are now 2,000,000 sheep in the territory where 35 years ago there were but 185 head all told. At the time of the writer's visit there was one company, capitalized at \$7,300,000, which owned over 1,800,000 acres of land on which were maintained 1,253,000 sheep, 25,000 head of cattle, and 9183 horses. For one year the production of this company amounted to nearly 9,500,000 pounds of wool, shorn from 1,190,683 sheep, thus averaging 7.91 pounds of wool per animal."

The little city boasts of about 13,000 inhabitants, and their prosperity is indicated when an examination of the credit information books of the banks reveals the fact that among them there are seventy-nine fortunes that exceed \$100,000; 64 fortunes of more than \$200,000; 31 of more than \$400,000; and there are several that range from \$1,000,000 to \$5,000,000. Incidentally the reports of the banks also show that there are 2800 accounts in the savings departments that exceed \$200, a remarkable showing for a town of 13,000 people—a showing that perhaps few small cities in the United States or Europe can equal. But that's the kind of a town Punta Arenas is—the "southernmost city in the world."

CONVENTION SEATS TO BE HIGH PRICED

Chicago, May 9.—The advisability of raising the price for spectators' seats at the next Republican National convention from \$50 to \$100 or possibly \$200 was being considered today by Frederick W. Upham, chairman of the Chicago committee for the convention.

This committee, which guaranteed the \$100,000 fund that brought the

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Governor Spry will preside and speak, and Salt Lake society will be represented. Dedication at 10 o'clock. Special organ recital by Prof. J. J. McClellan.

convention to this city, has been allotted 2200 tickets of admission to the convention and though these have been offered for sale at \$50 each, the demand has by far exceeded the supply. Indications are that the committee will realize more than \$100,000 through the sale of tickets.

Seats for the Progressive National convention which like the Republican opens here on June 1, are on sale at from \$10 to \$25 each.

Progressives for Teddy.

Jackson, Mich., May 9.—Fifty-two delegates to the national convention at Chicago were to be selected by the National Progressive state convention which convenes here today. Delegates said before the convention was called to order that Theodore Roosevelt

would be endorsed for the presidential nomination.

TEXAS GUARDS ARE OFFICIALLY CALLED

Austin, Texas, May 9.—Adjutant General Henry Hutchins received from Washington at 10:20 today a call for the service of the organized militia of Texas. He said that he understood that the call would require the use of every member of the Texas National Guard and would so notify all commanders. No mobilization point was specified. The troops will be called out subject to the orders of General Frederick Funston. The normal strength of the Texas

National Guard is 3392 men, of which 207 are officers, according to Adjutant General Hutchins. The guard could be quickly brought up to war strength, or 6118 men, by recruiting each company to 150 men.

The troops at present consist of an infantry brigade, of three regiments, a squadron of cavalry, one battery of field artillery, and one field hospital corps.

Arizona Guards Ready.

Phoenix, Ariz., May 9.—The Arizona National Guard of five hundred men will be ready for service on the border by Wednesday morning in compliance with the orders of President Wilson, it was announced today.

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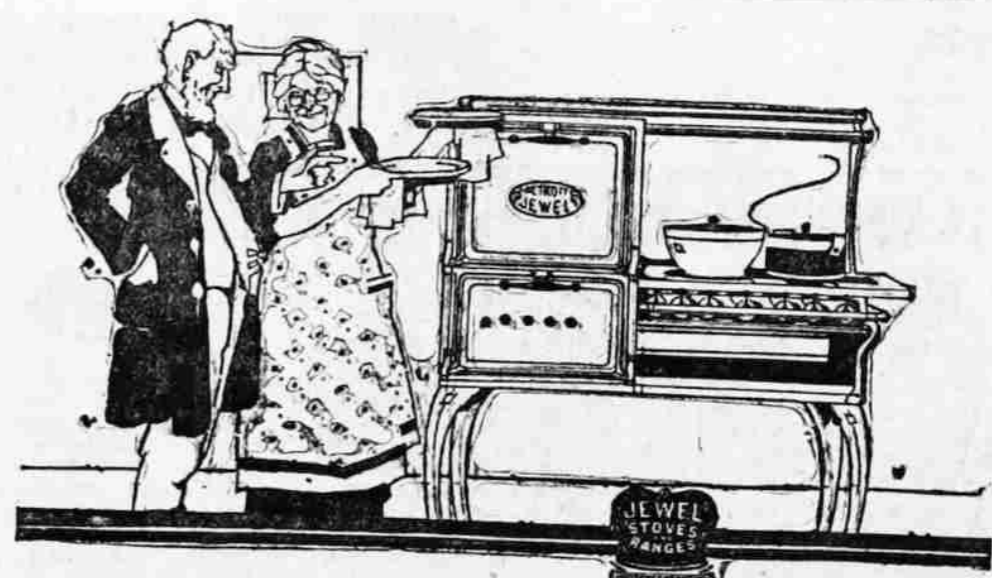
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